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LINCOLN'S LOCKHART RETIRES

IT'S YOUR DUTY
MOBILE T-B X-RAY UNIT
WILL VISIT GRIMSBY

Free Chest Examination Will
Be Made Available To
People Of This District By
Niagara Peninsula Sanitorium.

The Niagara Peninsula Sanitorium, continuing their free chest X-Ray of the citizens of the Niagara Peninsula, have completed plans to give the residents of Grimsby and North Grimsby the benefit of this excellent service.

The Grimsby Lions Club, assisted

by the IODE, Women's Institute

and the Optimist Club will make a

thorough canvass of the area com-

mencing on Monday, May 14.

In an effort to impress the people with the value of taking advantage of this mass X-Ray program, members of the above named organizations will endeavor to obtain the co-operation of all persons over fifteen years of age, and make them aware of the time and place where they can meet.

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YOUNG CHILDREN CAN DEVELOP CANCER

It Is Highly Desirable That
Information Concerning
This Particular Aspect Of
The Cancer Problem Be
Known.

"Cancer is usually considered to be a disease confined to the declining years of life. Although it is certainly more common in the aging population, the fact must be faced that it may occur at any time of life, and that it does occur in children," stated Dr. W. L. Domhause, Director of Pathology at the Hospital for Sick Children, in a recent interview.

"It is highly desirable that information concerning this particular aspect of the general cancer problem be made known, but in making this information available, it is also of the utmost importance that unwarranted fear should not be planted in the minds of parents.

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BUYER AND SELLER ARE BOTH FINED

Pleading guilty to a charge of buying beer in the Dwarf Village Hotel at Jordan despite the fact that he was only 18 years of age, Charles McKinney, Grimsby, was fined \$27 or given the option of serving 15 days in jail when he appeared before Magistrate H. D. Mallett Thursday morning. Vein Serenski, a waiter at the Dwarf Hotel, pleaded guilty to selling the beer to McKinney. He, too, was fined \$27 or 15 days. The offense occurred on April 9.

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FACTS and FANCIES

By Frank Fairborn, Jr.

THE PEOPLE LOSE A VALUED SERVANT

With a personal following in the City of St. Catharines and in the broad reaches of Lincoln County, which might very well be the envy of any candidate in Canada for Parliamentary honors, N. J. M. Lockhart has heeded the advice of his doctor and is withdrawing from the political field. Like all his public utterances, the sincerity of Mr. Lockhart was unchallenged when he announced his retirement on Thursday last.

Certainly there is an outstanding and unique career being brought to an official close, as far as party politics is concerned, when "Mac" retreats so gracefully from the field. His decision, of course, was unexpected.

At 65 the Lincoln County M.P. appeared to everyone to be going mighty strong. The betting odds in favor of his re-election this year were very strong. "Mac" Lockhart commanded a very heavy vote outside of St. Catharines; he has friends in every part of the county, and most important, Liberal friends, who supported him.

It was a very outstanding thing for a man to jump from the chairmanship of the Board of Education to the Mayoralty and within the same year jump to membership in the House of Commons, as the successor to Hon. J. D. Chaplin. But more outstanding

in the career of Mr. Lockhart was his defeat, when Tory prestige was at the lowest ebb in history, of Scout Ernie Coombs.

That was the toughest battle, won and lost, in generations of Lincoln County political history. When the Mackenzie King flood tide was on all throughout the country, Mr. Lockhart also defeated the late Senator Bench, a most beloved man in this community.

Now things as regards hopes and prospects of the Conservative party are different. There is a rosy hue everywhere for the party, something acknowledged by every commentator and the man on the street. "Mac" is polling out. Is it too much to suggest that if and when there is a change of government that the man who served St. Catharines and Lincoln County so well, all down the years, should be given preference in appointment to the Senate?

By all means, he should go there. On that point, we feel sure, the legion of friends in Liberal ranks who have all along supported Mr. Lockhart, will agree. As a matter of fact, and to be facetious, his appointment might well be the beginning of reform of the Senate, so ardently preached about years ago by Mackenzie King.

OLD MARLATT CEMETERY IS AT LEAST OVER A CENTURY OLD

First Interment Notated On
Stone Was In 1833—Located
On The Old Konkle
Homestead—Old Church
Which Served For Many
Years Was Razed Some
Years Ago.

(By MOLLIS)

At the Old Konkle Homestead, it seems to be known now as the Old Marlatt Cemetery, the Marlatt family owned the farm just across the road. It is on the corner of the Fly Road (why "Fly"?) and a road that cuts between lots 21 and 22 in the 5th concession of Clinton Township, then meanders with several turns to the left until it finds itself at the top of the Thirty Mountain. As it crosses one road and another joins it, a small triangle is formed inside the southern boundary of concession 4.

Marlatt and Konkle are buried in this cemetery. Indeed, the Konkle family occupy considerable space in all the burying grounds we have examined so far. Abraham Marlatt seems to be the first of that name to be interred here. He died in 1835 aged 62. The headstone of John

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BEEF BY THE CARCASS FOUR CENTS A POUND

Veal Four Cents, Pork Six
Cents, Bacon 16 Cents A
Pound—Eggs 11 Cents A
Dozen—Let's Eat.

Down in Tweed, Ontario, (yes you can find it on the map) Sam Curry, the go-get-em editor of The Tweed News has been delving into the high cost of living, and also the records of 50 years ago and he comes up with the following article:

Butcher is advertised at 20, 19 and 18 cents per pound; eggs, right from the farmers' wagons, are nine to 11 cents per dozen; bacon is eight cents to 11 cents per pound and maple syrup, right from the farmer, is 25 cents to 90 cents per gallon.

Where are these prices in existence? They appear in a copy of the Montreal Daily Star of May 10, 1897, brought to the news office by "Bud" Price, of Actinolite.

Going through this publication of a half-century ago, and which is still a flourishing metropolitan daily newspaper, such information is to be found as that in the ad-

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COUNTY COUNCIL HAD VERY LIGHT SESSION

Many Items Of Business Dealt
With As Councillors Really
Hustled — Merriton Re-
fuses Grant To V.O.N.

At the April session of the Lincoln County Council held on Tuesday in St. Catharines under the chairmanship of Warden Leslie R. Lyburner, Reeve of Cawthron Township, it was decided to obtain a decision from the officials of the Lincoln County Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses regarding the Branch providing service to the Town of Merriton.

The Town of Merriton has previously been included with Thorold and Thorold Township in the Peninsula Branch of the V.O.N. At the March sessions of the council, a grant of \$9,500 was made to the V.O.N. Merriton's share of the cost, \$1,046.71, to be paid to the Town of Merriton towards its obligations to the Peninsula Branch. Some dispute arose at a subsequent meeting of the Branch when it was charged that Merriton did not intend to pay over the entire sum to the V.O.N.

At the opening of council the Peninsula Branch requested the council to make the portion of the grant pertaining to it payable direct instead of through the Town of Merriton.

The question came up for discuss-

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SERVED COUNTY 14 YEARS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS



Norman John MacDonald Lockhart

GRIMSBY DISTRICT GETTING VERY FINE NURSING SERVICE

HOUSEHOLDERS CLEAN OUT ATTIC STORAGE

To Date Optimist Club Has
Not Received Enough Fur-
niture, Utensils, Etc., To
Warrant Auction Sale.

Reports from Chairman Harry Suer of the Optimist Auction Cam-
paign, given at a special meeting of the Club, held in the Legion Hall last Thursday, show that not sufficient items have been gathered together to date, to warrant the holding of the Auction at this time.

The members of the Club were urged to seek further, in order that more items might be brought in, and the auction will be held during the month of May.

Quite a number of residents of Grimsby and North Grimsby have phonied in to either 55 or 38, and their donations of furniture and

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V.O.N. Made 107 Visits In
Town During March And 41
Calls In The Township—
March Was A Very Busy
Month In The County.

March proved to be one of our busiest months. The visits did not exceed previous months but our cases were mostly bedside nursing cases, which means the nurses spend at least an hour plus their travel time for each patient, and we were also one nurse short—but in spite of this, 625 visits were made during the month which is only 37 visits short of February.

54 new patients were admitted during the month along with 117 patients carried from the previous month making a total of 171 patients. To these patients 148 obstetrical visits were made, 89 medical and surgical visits, 137 cancer visits, 195 visits to patients with long term illness and one home confinement.

26 visits were made to the Private Sanitoria, 27 to D.V.A. patients and 17 to M.L.I. patients.

Fees collected include 360 paid visits, 30 part pay, making \$371.75, M.L.I. cheque of \$24.00 and D.V.A. cheque of \$15.00 making a grand total of \$410.75.

We were fortunate to secure the services of Mrs G. A. McArthur of

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Was Well And Popularly
Known To His Constituents
As "Mac" —
Jumped From Chairman
Of St. Catharines Board Of Education To
Mayor To Member Of
Parliament All In One
Year — He Was Everybody's Friend Irrespective
Of Political Creed.

N. J. M. Lockhart, Lincoln
County's able representative
on Parliament Hill for 14
years, is to retire from the
political arena.

Announcement of his retirement
as Progressive-Conservative
M.P. for Lincoln, was made
in his letter of April 19
to J. R. Stork, president of
Lincoln County Progressive-
Conservative Association.

The decision, which came as
a complete surprise, was made
upon the advice of Mr. Lock-
hart's doctor following a medi-
cal examination this week.

"It will take some little time
to become accustomed to a
new way of life which perhaps
will not offer the opportunities
to serve people in the many small
ways that a member of parliament
is privileged to do if he wants to
work at it," Mr. Lockhart stated.

He emphatically pointed out,
however, that although he is retiring
from political life, he will "still be
around to help in any way, and
will continue to be interested always
in the welfare of the community."

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BLOSSOM TIME DANCE WILL BE GALA AFFAIR

Village Inn Will Be The Scene
Of Coronation Of Peninsula
Blossom Queen—Sponsored
By Optimist Club.

The Village Inn will be the scene of the official crowning of a Niagara Peninsula Blossom Queen, the event scheduled for Friday, May 13. It is sponsored in the interests of the Greater Grimsby Fruit Belt by the Optimist Club of Grimsby. The proceeds of the Blossom Ball will go toward the Bay's Work of the Optimist Club.

The crowning of a blossom queen has sagged rather badly of late, a far cry from the days when the district was a gala scene of pageantry and splendor. It is to this end that the Optimists hope to gradually build up the programme once more, with all Clubs in the area pitching in to publicize the annual showing of blossoms here in the world's most beautiful fruit belt.

With the splendid co-operation of press and radio, the Blossom Time Ball this year will gain considerable prominence, and undoubtedly the district itself will benefit, as thousands pay a visit here to see the scenic beauty of the Peninsula resident in her covering of pink and white.

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NORTH ATLANTIC PACT

Text of an address given by Don Mogg, Grimsby High School, at the annual Oratorical Contest conducted by Grimsby Lions Club.

This pact is the agreement of the countries of the Western Bloc to "pool" their efforts for collective defense and for the preservation of peace and security in our time.

The members of this treaty are resolved to uphold the principles of the charter of the United Nations and they are desirous of living in peace with all peoples and all governments. The chief countries that have signed this document are Belgium, Canada, Italy, The Netherlands, Luxembourg, Norway, France, the United Kingdom and The United States of America. In addition the following three small states have joined,—Iceland, Denmark, Portugal.

These last three, apparently insignificant, will in time of war provide bases for air and sea operations, sources of raw materials and stations for weather forecasting.

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HERE IS ANOTHER ONE FOR THE "GUESSPERTS"



Tell us where these gates were located when this picture was taken? Are they still in the same spot? If not, where are they now? This should not be such a hard job, still we will get plenty of wrong answers.

Your Doctor Speaking

To the Residents of The Town of Grimsby and The Township of North Grimsby.

In connection with the Mass X-Ray Examination in this district, we feel that it is the duty of all citizens to avail themselves of this opportunity. It is of the utmost importance that everyone be X-Rayed and we urge your co-operation in this project.

Yours truly,

(Sgd) J. H. MacMillan, M.D.
N. S. Bowers, M.D.
J. V. Christie, M.D.
A. F. McIntyre, M.D.

Facts • And • Fancies

FRANK FAIRBORN, JR.

True independence is never afraid of appearing dependent, and true dependence leads always to the most perfect independence.

BEAUTY ON THE BOUGH

Now is the time to do some guessing, or predicting, when Blossom Week will be here in all its glory in the Niagara Peninsula. It is already beginning in some of the States below the Canadian boundary.

Nature philosopher and analyst, has some interesting things to say about fruit trees blossoming, in The New York Sunday Times. He writes:

"If they never bore a bushel of fruit, the peach trees and the plum trees of this land would be well worth cherishing simply for the beauty of their blossoms. They are among the earliest of all our fruit trees to bloom, often putting forth flowers while the leaves are still shrugging their way out of bud. Indeed, in a good year the trees become pink or white before they are really green.

"The peach blossom is a rare shade of pink which could, with one more blush, become a light crimson. At the base of the petals, in fact, it does verge into crimson. It is like a wild rose, and it has a fragrance as

dainty as its color. It is often as large as the little field roses that spread red-veined petals in the meadow in June. Its petals are softer than silk, this peach flower, and its multitude of stamens might be span of some rare plastic which reflects the pink of the petals.

"For individual show, the plum blossom can't compare with that of the peach. It isn't half the size, to begin with, and it has no color. The plum blossom is simply a little white five-petaled flower with a tuft of long-stemmed stamens. But it comes in groups: the whole tree is clustered with bloom. And its fragrance can sweeten a whole hillside, of an evening, a spicy fragrance, sweet and tangy, and reminding you of honey coming from the comb. That reminder is no accident; when a plum tree is in full bloom it has more bees than blossoms.

"Plums are beginning to bloom now, and so are peaches, to the glory of the countryside. Happy the man who owns such a tree, or even lives where he can see one and walk out and let its fragrance sweeten his soul."

Diesels, and to a lesser extent oil-burning steam engines, are considered more efficient and cheaper to operate than the old coal-burners, giving more power for a lower expenditure of fuel. They are also more comfortable and safer for the crew.

The shortage of oil in Canada has hitherto prevented any rapid conversion to oil-burning equipment, but the new discoveries in Alberta have removed this difficulty.

Thus the coal-burning engine, the workhorse of the railways for generations, seems doomed. It will be with us for many years yet; of course, but with no replacements being manufactured, its days are numbered. It will vanish first from the main lines, linger on for a time along the branch lines, and then eventually join the stagecoach and the Pony Express.

Few pieces of inanimate machinery will be more regretted when the time for its final disappearance comes. As a powerplant it may

Ten years ago used cars cluttered every vacant lot, with no buyers, a major problem for an industry. There was an overplus of everything. Now we must wait and wait for cars and bathtubs and refrigerators and sewing machines and a thousand other products that once glutted the market. And not because they are so few, but because the demand is so great.

We who had jobs in those days didn't quarrel about wages. We hugged the job with desperate eagerness. To us we are scoring earnings that are more than twice as great. We are ready to admit, of course, that it hasn't all been gravy, that higher prices have cut into gains; but they haven't offset them, and they haven't put us back on bread-lines.

We have no Pollyanna belief that everything is well in the best of all possible worlds. There are still vast and growing problems at home and abroad. We have housing problems, and labor and political problems, but we're all back at work. And it isn't a prosperity born of war. It is men looking forward with courage in their eyes. It is land worth farming again, because men can live decently again on what were once starved acres.

We have forgotten the bogeys of over-population and over-production. We want more people to share with us. Perhaps our worst danger is that we have come to expect too much for too little effort, and demand security without providing it. Oh yes, there are still plenty of problems, and they are tough problems. But we are free of the desperation that was in so many men's eyes a decade ago. That much a backward glance will prove for us.

THE STEAM ENGINE IS PASSING

(From the Edmonton Journal)

A long chapter in the history of transportation in Canada seems to be coming to an end. In the course of his visit here, N. R. Crump, senior vice-president of the CPR, said he did not think the company would build any more steam engines. The emphasis in the future was to be on Diesel engines, and on converting existing coal-burning locomotives to oil.

A similar trend has been evident in the United States since the end of the war. "Dieselization" is all the rage there now, and one of the biggest locomotive manufacturing firms recently announced that it had built its last steam machine.

be less efficient than the Diesel. But for majesty and impressiveness what can compare with one of the big "Mountain" types, snorting and hissing and breathing forth steam as it sets forth on its journey, or belching for the right of way at a crossing? The Diesel, with its faint purring noise, and its anemic whistle, is a poor thing in contrast.

The change may be progress, but it means the elimination of one more picturesque feature from life.

PEANUTS, POPCORN, CHEWING GUM

Popcorn and peanuts have been under fire in the United States for some time. The heat attack is in the Pacific Northwest, where certain Oregonians have been trying to legislate them out of movie houses as others have done elsewhere. The crunch and crackle of popcorn can be heard right across the continent.

At a committee hearing on the bill one state senator distributed free popcorn to the 50 spectators, who made so much noise eating it that the hearing was all but disrupted. The bill itself was attacked as un-American. Feeling ran high as popcorn ran low.

We are not advocates of popcorn-munching, peanut-shelling, cellulose-cracking, and kindred disturbances perpetrated under cover of darkness in crowded cinemas.

We do not hold to the dogmatic laissez-faire position which says that you can't legislate quietness. We are not much moved by appeals to old traditions of noisy eating in public places.

But rather than run the risk of being accused of snobbery we are willing to run the risk of being exposed to snobbery.

After all, anyone can stay away from the movies who doesn't like the noises.

FOR SIMPLE PUBLIC ACCOUNTING

To the average man it is about as difficult to extract real information out of the public accounts put out by the Dominion or Provincial Governments as it is to dig the meat out of a native black walnut. Even a skilled accountant, anxious to see how the public money is being spent, is sometimes baffled. At long last, however, there is at least hope in sight. In its recent report the Royal Commission on Prices, comes out with this:

"We strongly recommend that the public accounts be presented in such a way that the net effect of government transactions is clear not only to the specialist, but to the man in the street."

There should be a solid backing for that recommendation. Until the average citizen can readily understand how his taxes are being

"Thanks. But never you mind—it's too he has sentimental women aboard. The kids range from Donny (most enterprising and, a guest thinks, likeliest to spurn the mountain for the city when he grows up) to others not so ingratiating; but they are all kids and they are doing something which, on a fine vacation day, seems eminently right.

Along in the afternoon, the children clear out and the 'teeners show up. The banter and the blushes do not differ on my mountain from those in your city's most popular soda store. The costumes are not more casual than those on a campus.

Now, slowly, as the dusk begins to creep, the costumes change subtly until all at once you are confronted with a metamorphosis every bit as slow-coming and remarkable as the approach of night. The blue jeans have been replaced by skirts. There are high heels. There is a quiet which could mean boredom, but represents the reverse: tension and excitement, 7:20.

When the clock stands approximately there, the white bus from Charles Town blows a fine blast, better than a Diesel locomotive because its pitch is higher. It's heading roughly south by east, for Lessburg and intermediate stops. It will pause all along the highway because of a variety of functions, all involving fun: basketball games or dances or church suppers.

Then it is night and the spring ceases to be a market or dallying place, returning to its job. Battered old Model A's chug up. Their drivers fill a remarkable inventory of containers, from gallon glass jugs to 25-gallon milk cans. Dim figures trudge out of the dark, pass the time of night, and fill their buckets. One of the last to come is Donny's mother, whom I have never seen except in man's dungeons, a plaid woolen shirt, and a tight scarf bound around her head.

She always carries two 10-quart buckets. She always refuses a lift to her house. Of words she is as sparing as the telegraph operator, chatting with a friend upline in the last graying hours of the midnight trick. This was the conversation with her:

"Good evening."

"When you've Ted those, I'll drop you close."

"You're Donny's mother, aren't you?"

"Yep."

"He's a fine boy."

"Spoiled. I spoiled him."

for his age . . . he takes up with all kind of strangers."

"My guest was right. He but Donny's mother knows . . . was guessing, Donny will get off the mountain."

ing spent, and can properly compare expenditure of one year with another, and one administration with another, we can hardly hope to have real interest in government or real economy.—Financial Post.

FORTY MILLIONS FOR GOLF

Canadian divot diggers will spend about \$40 millions this year Americans, \$500 millions, says The Financial Post.

Today there are approximately 250,000 golfers, good, bad and awful, in Canada; four million in the United States. The game has become Canada's national participation sport.

Chasing that little white ball, as non-golfers scoffingly refer to the game, is now an important part of our economic system and an essential part of our social structure.

Anything that a quarter of a million Canadians swear by, swear at and spend \$40 millions a year for the privilege, is big business, besides being extremely important socially.

What started out as a pastime for the classes has developed into sport for the masses. With the transition has come prosperity. The golf boom has ushered in the game's golden era.

Today it takes more influence to get into a good private club than it did to get a white shirt during the war. Every club has a waiting list as long as a No. 1 wood.

LITTLE WOMAN SCORES AGAIN

The tragedy of the tearful bride who can't cook is an outmoded drama in the modern kitchen. In these days she doesn't have to.

If there was any doubt about that it was swept away by the latest prepared food development—mashed potatoes that a bridge-playing housewife can whip up in a minute.

They are, of course, only the latest move in a trend that makes housekeeping easy for even the dumbest bride. Added to cake mix, tea biscuit preparations and frozen vegetables and meats, they promise a tearless bride in every bright, new, labor-saving, electrical kitchen.

Is that good? Frankly, we don't know. What we've had of the prepared foods has been. Frozen vegetables are as tasty as those fresh from the garden. Cakes and tea biscuits made from prepared mixes are fine, too, and so is frozen pie. Not as good as mother used to make, of course, but good.

Whether the housewife will profit from the trend is another matter. What is she going to do with the time saved? If she uses it profitably, all well and good. If she doesn't, her poor husband will be shortchanged, if not on quality and taste of his food, then because prepared food costs more.

To get back to the mashed potatoes—there's not a scraped finger in a bushel. They're peeling, lumpless and guaranteed to give every woman an extra fifteen minutes at the bridge table. Pop the powder in boiling water, add milk and butter, whip them a bit and there you are.

It may be that they will carry woman's emancipation from the kitchen a bit too far.

PERFECTION IN APPAREL

Clothes may make the man—or the woman, comments The New York Sun, but that adage seems old indeed, and crying for qualification, in the light of advances which have been made in the improvement of fabrics for apparel.

In praising the technical "wizardry" which has produced new textiles, The American Wool and Cotton Reporter refers to clothes or finishes "which are, or come close to being" abrasion proof, absorbent, anti-slip, crease resistant, dustproof, flameproof, fray-proof, germ-proof, heatproof, coldproof, insect-proof, mildewproof, perspiration resistant, rust resistant, shrink-controlled, stain resistant, transparent, translucent, water repellent, and so on. It refers to fabrics made from wood, metal, glass, resins, coal tar, air, water, corn and peanuts.

But the textile wizards may continue toward an ideal. A day may yet come when no woman will say "I haven't a thing to wear," and when every man will have a suit with pockets that will never cease to jingle with cash, no matter what the women wear.

He is ill clothed that is bare of virtue.

Beware of meat twice boil'd, and an old foe reconcil'd.

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HELP STAMP OUT TUBERCULOSIS

(There were 600 Cases of Tuberculosis in the County of Lincoln at the End of the past Month of March)

You owe it to Yourself, Your Family and the Community to Support this Survey, which is being sponsored by the Grimsby Lions Club, assisted by the I.O.D.E., W.I. and Optimist Club.

When a canvasser calls at your home during the week of May 1st to May 7th, give the information asked for and be prepared to be X-Rayed when the X-Ray Mobile Unit is in Grimsby during the week of May 9th to 13th inclusive

This Service is FREE, and will cost you nothing but your time. No clothing has to be removed.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY A COMMUNITY RESPONSIBILITY

This is one of a series of articles submitted by The Children's Aid Society of St. Catharines and the County of Lincoln. Our purpose is to further community understanding and interest in all programs dedicated to raising the standard of child and family life in our midst.

How is The Work Financed in This County

Once again Campaign time has arrived and the problem of financing the work of the Society for the fiscal year 1948-50 must be considered.

Campaign Objective-\$7000.00

Through the untiring efforts of the local Optimist Club, and other service clubs throughout the County, the amount referred to above must be raised by the citizens of this community.

I Thought The

Government Paid It All !!

So often this question is asked, and we feel that a brief word of explanation might be helpful at this time.

The Society's budget for 1948-50 calls for an expenditure of roughly \$52,700.00. In breaking down this amount in terms of revenue we find the following:

\$1,000.00 from the Province of Ontario as a grant based on a grading of our Society by representatives of the Provincial Department of Public Welfare, Children's Aid Branch.

\$2,500.00 from the City of St. Catharines and an equal amount from the County of Lincoln because of the City and County Council's recognition of the real need for Children's Aid service to this City and County.

\$39,000.00 as statutory, or ward costs, based upon the number of children made wards through the Courts because they have been deemed to be "neglected children" within the meaning of The Children's Protection Act. The municipality in which each "neglected child" has legal residence is liable for that child's maintenance at the rate of \$1.10 per day while the child in question is in boarding home care. This \$1.10 is arrived at on the basis of the cost of supervising the child in boarding home, or pay care as it is often times called, over a period of one year. Transportation costs in visiting the child while in a foster home; salary of Children's Aid Workers; office rent; clothing and dental and medical care, and board to foster parents all enter into this \$1.10.

What About The Balance of Approximately \$7,200.00?

This is the amount the community is being asked to contribute because we believe that you really care about the children of this community, and want to share in helping us to help them.

Let's Keep Families Together

—Not Break Them Up !!

This is continually the aim and objective of those of us working directly with families and children in various stages of neglect. Without this \$7,000.00 we would not have the funds necessary to make it possible for us to visit with parents who are having troubles in their own homes. Often times misunderstandings between husband and wife, if not dealt with intelligently, can result in more serious complications such as desertion, cruelty, excessive drinking, etc., and the eventual break up of the home. This is what we, as Children's Aid workers want to prevent, and you can help us to help them by making available the necessary funds so that we as social workers will be able to visit with these parents; to interview them in the office of the Children's Aid Society; to interpret the responsibilities of wives and mothers to their husbands, and vice versa; to assist them in obtaining employment, and to bring to bear all the forces for good in the community we can upon their lives, thus strengthening the home and family as a unit.

Space does not permit too detailed explanation of other services which are a necessity and must be provided by your Children's Aid Society. However, briefly, they are as follows:

1. Counsel and guidance to the unmarried mother both before and after her confinement.

2. Working out of plans with the unmarried mother for the future well being of herself and her child.

3. Supervision of children, as wards of The Children's Aid Society in adoptive homes, board and free homes, and wage homes where they are striving to earn their own way as boys and girls in their late teens.

4. The subsidizing of our Infants' Reception Home where many children are placed following their discharge from the hospital. Here they are given a great deal of care and attention and studied over a period of time sufficiently lengthy to make it possible for the social worker to place these children in the best possible type of foster or adoptive homes.

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SPRING IN BERLIN



—Central Press Canadian
Planting vegetables seeds in a window-box, this Berlin housewife is among thousands determined to raise their own fresh food as they face the Russian blockade. Every available inch of earth is being used by Berliners for truck-gardening this spring. In Canada gardeners and farmers are busy these days getting ready for spring planting.

A VANISHING TRADE

There are only forty lamplighters left in London. The lifting of the war-time black-out restrictions enabled them to continue their old-time job of lighting separately each of the ten per cent.

of London's street gas lamps that are still operated by hand. The rest are lit by mechanized clock control.

In the days gone by the lamplighter was a romantic figure. He was popular with the boys and girls who sometimes accompanied him on his rounds, listening to his stories and watching him with interest as he turned on each lamp.

Later, the lamplighter discarded his ladder and carried a short pole with which he switched on the gas of a lamp which burned an incandescent mantle.

In days before gas-lighting the lamplighter used to place a ladder against the lamp-post and climb up to light an oil lamp. That is why a few old-fashioned lamp-posts

have a bar sticking out beneath the lamp.

Later, the lamplighter discarded his ladder and carried a short pole with which he switched on the gas of a lamp which burned an incandescent mantle.

People have quit worrying about the future. It seems the present always has enough worries to keep one occupied.

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By PRUNELLA WOOD

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The fabric is black taffeta, cut with a wide skirt and low-necked bodice, two big pink silk roses giving it a young and festive styling.

Strictly Canadian
 by Claire Wallace

One of the most dreaded moments in anyone's life is when he, or she, is asked to stand up and "say a few words." The panic that strikes the heart, the dryness of throat and the complete lapses of mental thought are all part of the torture that everyone goes through. It is silly to feel this way but we all do—even broadcasters!—and it seems to be one of the weaknesses of human nature. Nowadays, fortunately, schools are training young people to stand up and speak with ease and with wonderful skill.

There are two secrets to being an easy speaker. One is having something worthwhile to say and saying it with as few words as possible. The other is your manner—and manner.

If you are called on unexpectedly to say a few words, don't strive to be an orator, to be high-brow or too funny. Be natural, be friendly; keep your remarks simple and short and speak up so everyone can hear.

The main speaker often unconsciously inflicts rudeness on his audience by speaking only to those directly in front of him. Those in the side seats or in the balcony deserve equal consideration and the speaker should draw them into his ken by turning his head and looking in their direction at some time during his speech. Embracing the entire audience with his gaze helps the speaker, too; makes him feel master of the situation and more at ease.

The fidgety speaker is a nuisance to the audience and himself! Men speakers fidget by jingling keys in the pocket; women speakers fidget by twisting or shuffling their notes.

I remember H. R. Knickerbocker, who is so clever in the writing field, when he came to Canada on a speaking tour a few years ago. A very nervous speaker, he went through all his pockets several times during the course of his lecture, tugged his clothes and suffered such nervous tics that he soon had his audience tied up in knots, too. His manner was fascinating, but his manner was frantic and we all felt so sorry for him.

Eliza Maxwell, the world's most famous party-giver, took to the lecture platform a while ago and was an interesting but worried speaker. I remember Eliza wore a black and white dress which seemed to bother her for she spent the entire hour of her speech clutching the dress nervously across her

chest.

Even after making speeches and broadcasting over nine million words in the past thirteen years, I am still desperately nervous on a platform. Once, in the middle of a speech, I had to ask for a chair so I might sit down a few minutes to stop my knees from shaking and to get back my breath! I have found that having a table, lectern or chair in front of me—something I can rest my hands on—is a great aid in conquering the first jitters in making a speech.

On the other hand, Katherine Hale, who is known to many of you across Canada as a poet, author and a speaker, says she prefers to stand alone on a platform without anybody or any object near her. She learned in New York, when training for a singing career, that she should "stand alone, stand straight, and on the ball of her feet."

So every speaker has to work out his own salvation and, in fairness to himself and kindness to his audience, find the way in which to conquer fear when making a speech.

Dress simply for the event. A man may risk wearing a flashy tie but a woman speaker should avoid sparkle on her clothes or any buttons and bows that may bob around and distract the attention of the audience from her words of wisdom.

At the end of her speech, the speaker should express thanks for the flowers presented to her and, afterwards, should write a letter expressing appreciation for them.

Question - Etiquette - Answer

Question: Does a man or woman speak first when they meet on the street?

Answer: The woman speaks first.

Readers are invited to write Claire Wallace about their etiquette problems. Address Claire Wallace, care The Grimsby Independent, Grimsby, Ontario. Replies will appear in this column.

FRONT PAGE STORY

A death in a novel, that of the famous Soames Forsyte, astonished England when it occurred in Swan Song, the eighth Galsworthy book in which the imaginary character appeared. In fact, the passing of Soames in 1928 so shocked several London newspaper editors that they published it as front-page news.

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late for appointments.
 Thinking that an expressionless face denotes a certain degree of sophistication.

Being coy with men.

Picking her dress styles from the teen-age magazines.

Putting on make-up in public.

Looking at other women as though they are rivals, rather than potential friends or at least sisters under the skin.

Refusing to accept responsibility.

Rushing around and being always in a dither instead of cultivating a calm, poised manner.

Going in for the "careless" look in dress or hair style.

Talking about herself all the time, and expecting other people to find the subject fascinating.

Thinking it cute to be always late.

SCREW-DRIVEN BOAT

An Englishman has invented a boat which travels half in and half out of the water. It is called a hydrofoile, and has a pusher type of air screw which is attached to the tail.

When the air screw moves the boat, the hull is lifted out of the water and two arms, which extend from the sides and reach forward ahead of the boat and then bend back under water, have horizontal plates which adjust themselves to the waves at a correct angle.

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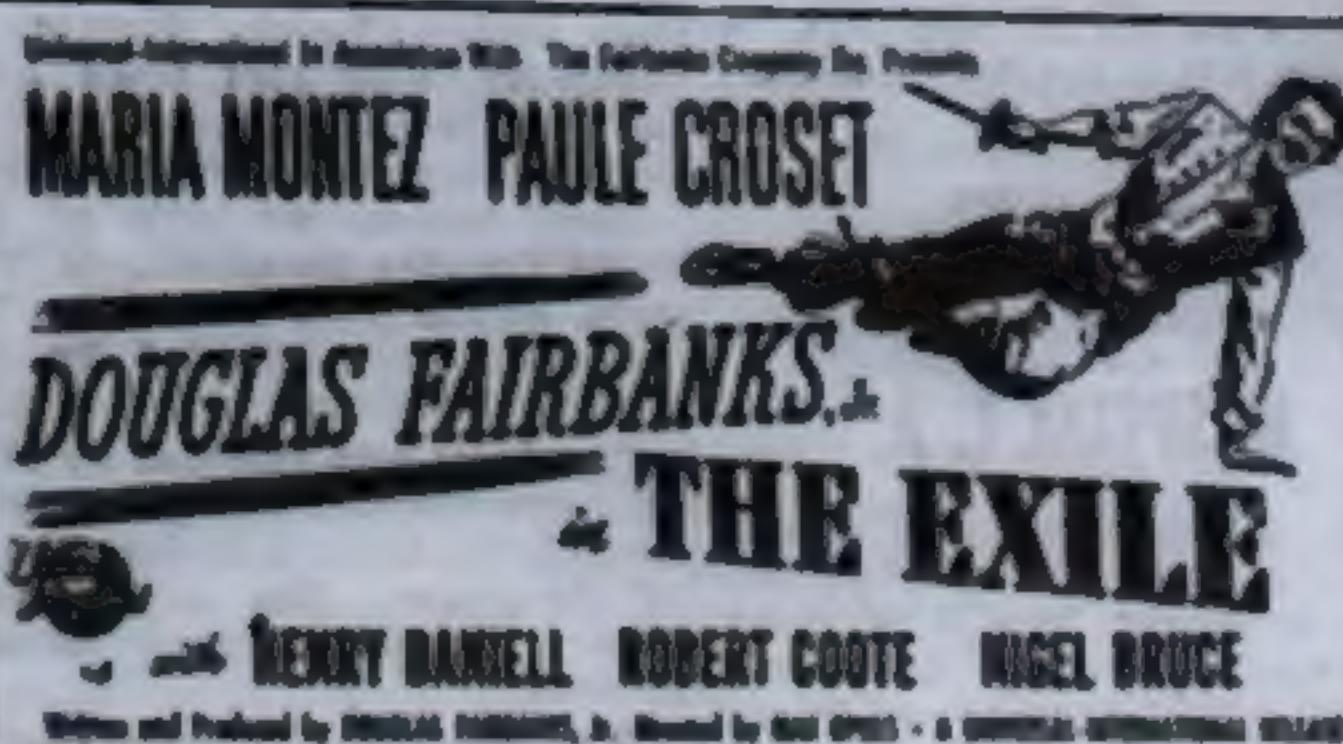
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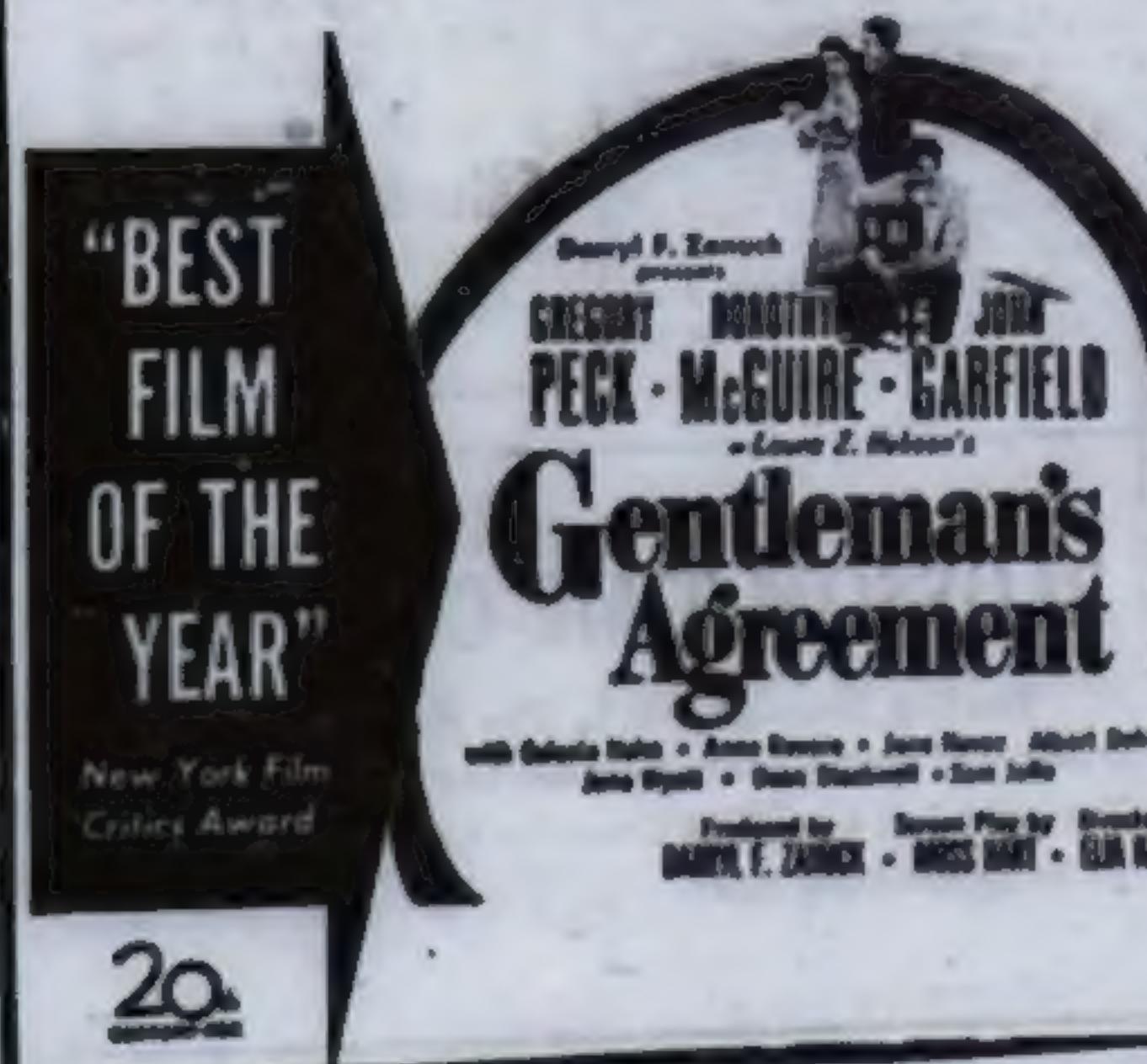
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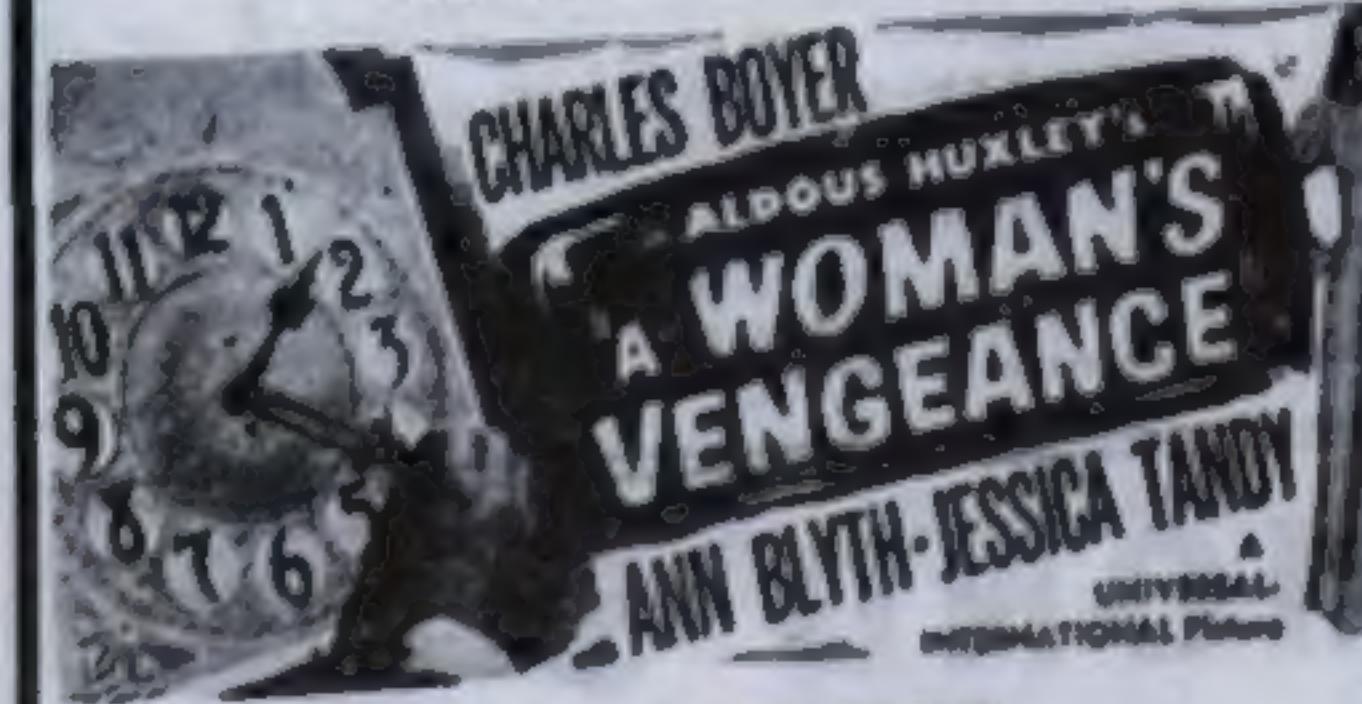


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From Page One

LINCOLN'S LOCKHART

The retiring M., who was 65 on April 10, intends to devote more time to the business in which he has been engaged for the past 30 years. He is secretary-treasurer and part owner of Jones-Lockhart Ltd., a flourishing retail builders' supplies and fuel firm in the city.

"I plan to take time out to relax and enjoy myself and have more time for the sports I enjoy, like boating and fishing," he said, with a sigh of anticipation. "Believe it or not, I haven't been on a fishing trip in eight years."

"Mac" Lockhart's political career has been nothing short of unique. Back in 1925, as chairman of the St. Catharines Board of Education, he was fighting City Council for a \$3,000 grant towards the repairing of city schools. His outspoken stand won the admiration and respect of various leading citizens who persuaded him to run for mayor. Determined to get action on the public school issue, "Mac" Lockhart accepted the challenge. On Jan. 16, 1925, by an overwhelming majority, he became mayor of St. Catharines, defeating Fred Beard. He went from Board of Education chairman to mayor in one jump, without serving one day on the council.

The same year he was elected Lincoln County member of parliament for the Progressive Conservatives, and found himself occupying a seat in the House of Commons at Ottawa by October. He succeeded the late Hon. J. D. Chaplin, who served as M.P. for Lincoln for 16 years.

In the 1935 federal election, Mr. Lockhart was put in by a slim majority of 263 votes, defeating Ernest A. "Scout" Coombs.

In 1944 his opponent was the late Senator Joe Bench, whom he beat by a majority of nearly 800 votes. By 1948, however, it appears that Lincoln constituents had finally decided Lockhart was their man, putting him in with a majority of 4,849 over Col. F. C. McCormick.

Who will be the new M.P. for Lincoln? To that question Mr. Lockhart replies: "I haven't the faintest idea."

His successor as party candidate will be named at the Nominating Convention of the Progressive Conservatives scheduled for May 20 at Beamsville.

Mr. Lockhart expressed regret at severing connections with his leader, Col. George Drew, whom he says has "created a very definite impression not only with his own Party, but with other members of the House as well."

As a Conservative, the retiring M.P. also had a kind word for Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, whom he considers a worthy successor to Mr. King.

Referring to the current political question, the date of the next federal election, Mr. Lockhart thinks it will not be until the fall. It is his opinion that the farmers in the West particularly, and farmers in general do not favor elections during their busy months, the harvesting season.

"However, the government may decide to hold the election before fall. Only Mr. St. Laurent can tell you that," he chuckles.

Although he is looking forward to his well-earned rest, Mr. Lockhart says he is going to miss the active, interesting life at Ottawa and the fellowship of the members.

"I do want to express my deep appreciation for the courtesy and generosity the people of Lincoln County have extended to me during the years I have carried the banner of the County as their representative," he said. "I have tried to serve them well, and shall endeavor to continue helping in any way I can. I've discovered that it's the small things we do for others that sometimes change lives and bring the greatest happiness."

Mr. Lockhart's letter to Lincoln County Progressive-Conservative President J. R. Stork follows:

148 Geneva St.,
St. Catharines, Ont.
April 19, 1949.

Mr. J. R. Stork,
President, Lincoln County
Progressive Conservative Assn.
R.R. 2, St. Catharines, Ont.

Dear Mr. Stork:
About two weeks ago, I was advised by Mr. Forster, that at our last executive meeting, which I was unable to attend as it was held during mid-week, it was decided to hold our nominating convention at Beamsville, on May 20th next.

For the past two or three months I have been trying to find time to have a thorough medical check-up. When I returned home for the Easter recess, I arranged to have a thorough examination yesterday. As a result of this check-up, and on advice from my doctor, I have decided to retire from the political arena. Accordingly, I will not be contesting the nomination on May 20th.

I shall always appreciate the courtesy and support extended in my behalf, by yourself, and the members of our executive. I desire also to express my appreciation of the generous consideration extended

to me by all the citizens of Lincoln county. It has been a privilege to have served at Ottawa since 1925.

You will please advise your executive of my decision.

Most sincerely yours,

N. J. M. LOCKHART.

BLOSSOM TIME

The Blossom Ball which will be held in the Oak Room of the Village Inn will feature dancing to the music of Paul Page and his orchestra, while the main attraction will be the selection of a Queen, the lucky girl to be crowned by Miss Canada of 1948 if present plans can be carried through. Grimsby, of course, will have a candidate in the running, as will Hamilton, Burlington, St. Catharines, Welland, Niagara Falls and one or two other centres.

To select a Miss Grimsby, a semi-final is being arranged, with

several local beauties competing for that honor on Saturday night, May 7, the semi-final to be feature of Peggy O'Neil's Supper Dance at the Village Inn.

Besides the Optimist Club's candidate, it is expected that the Grimsby Lions Club, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Beach Cottages Association, Grimsby High School, and the Ukrainian Society of St. Mary's will also have candidates entered in the semi-final.

The event has already aroused

much interest and the demand for tickets has got Gordon Hadler, chairman of that department slightly besieged. The Optimists with that the facilities at the Inn would permit the dispersal of unlimited quantities of the ducats, however, only a few over the two hundred marks will be sold, thus keeping the beautiful Oak Room from becoming overcrowded. The tickets are now on sale, and can be obtained from the Village Inn and Gordon Hadler at Johnson's Hardware.

Those wishing to see the semi-final have only to make a reservation now, by calling Miss O'Neil at the Village Inn.

Among those working industriously to make the event a highlight of the season are Optimists Harry Tuer, Eric Selby, Gord Hadler, Arnold Inglehart, Nick Saunders, George Curtis, Don Staples, Jack Clifford and others.

The calls in the various parts of the County are as follows:

Grantham	138
Port Dalhousie	32
Niagara	23
Niagara-on-the-Lake	19
Louth	30
Clinton	22
Beamsville	77
Grimsby	107
North Grimsby	41
South Grimsby	7
Chilcott	2
Gainsboro	37
Smithville	72

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The house to house canvas which requires a great number of volunteers is a most important phase of the survey if it is to be successful. Every person who calls will have a card on which each resident will be asked to submit to an X-Ray examination. The survey is voluntary, but it is hoped that every resident will take advantage of the survey, not only in his or her own interests, but also in the interests of the entire community.

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Four locations have been selected for different days of the week of May 8 to 14. Monday the Unit will be at St. Mary's Hall, top of the Grimsby Mountain.

Tuesday, May 10th, the Unit will move to Holynsky's Garage, west of Hagar's School, No. 8 Highway.

Wednesday and Thursday the Unit will care of Grimsby proper, the place being the Baptist Church, corner Mountain and Elm Streets. May, the east end will be taken care of, when the Unit will be located at Nick's Lunch, corner of 8th Road and No. 8 Highway.

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Social Events. — Personals — Organizations — Club Activities —

Mother's Day is Sunday, May 8.

John Glendenning of Toronto, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Donnie Lambert spent the Easter holidays with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fisher of Rockliffe, Ont.

Thomas Newson, former Grimsby boy, now residing in Aurora, was looking up old friends in town on Saturday.

Mayor Clarence W. Lewis and George Nelles, attended the Conservative Convention in Toronto this week.

Fred Gurney, an old Grimsby boy, now residing in Dallas, Texas, was renewing old acquaintances in town over the weekend.

Mrs. Walter Grossmith and Mrs. H. T. Stewart are on a motor trip to Montreal and points in Quebec and Vermont.

We regret to report that Mrs. Harry Biggar, Fruitland, mother of Mrs. Myrtle White, is confined to Hamilton hospital.

Mrs. Catherine Gross and Miss Dorothy Palenbridge, Toronto, have returned home from a pleasant month's vacation in Bermuda.

The Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Church are holding a Communion Breakfast at the Village Inn, Sunday morning, May 1, at 10 o'clock.

On their way back from Florida, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Clark, Brighton, Ont., stopped off for a few days at Grimsby to visit Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. Thomas Lidde, "Rosemore."

The death occurred in Sidney, Ohio, last week of a former Grimsby boy in the person of Arthur Fisher, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fisher and a brother of Wray Fisher, Main west.

GOSPEL HALL

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Wednesday

Prayer Meeting and Bible Reading, 8 p.m.

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2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
2:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon—"CHOOSE YOUR MEMORIES."

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SUNDAY, MAY 1

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11 a.m.: What is the Gospel?
7 p.m.: "Limit, Balance and Share."

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Don't forget Girl Guide's Cookie Day.

Wing Commander J. D. and Mrs. Bader and son Barry, from Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Bader's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt. Wing Commander Bader is captain in Trans-Canada Air Lines.

Mrs. Thomas Stephen, Elizabeth St., returned to Grimsby last Wednesday with her son and family, Charles and Mrs. Woods and little Davene Woods, also Mr. David Aiken, all of Hamilton, who spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Stephen in Carlton Place. They also visited relatives in Ottawa.

COMING EVENT

Card Party Bridge and Euchre auspices of the Eastern Star Benevolent Committee, Tuesday, May 8, 8 p.m. Masonic Hall. All welcome.

COMMITAL SERVICE

A committal service for the late Elizabeth Lodge Woolverton, beloved wife of Harold C. Woolverton, will be held in St. Andrew's Churchyard, Grimsby, on Thursday afternoon, April 28th, at 2:30, followed by memorial service in St. Andrew's Church.

GREEN TREES GUESTS

Mrs. Marion Francis, Windsor, Miss Betty Lawson, Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fay, Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. A. J. Karkec, Hot Springs, Arkansas; Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Jaboloski, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. H. Witlock, Windsor; Dr. and Mrs. J. Howie, Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Anderson, Toronto; Mrs. Millman, Toronto.

ALTAR SOCIETY

A very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mrs. John Hewitt on April 20th when thirty-five women of St. Joseph's Church met for the purpose of re-organizing the Altar Society.

The following convenors and officers were elected: Mrs. H. Costello, president; Mrs. H. Farrell, treasurer; Miss Kay Pydyk, secretary. Conveners: Miss Helen Gadsby, Miss Mary Gordon, Mrs. F. McPhail, Mrs. E. Roberts.

Baptist Church

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SUNDAY, MAY 1st

11:00 a.m.—Monthly Communion Service Pre-Communion Meditation: "Our Church Convalescent."

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7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship and Song Service.

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SUNDAY, MAY 1st

2nd Sunday After Easter
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.

4:00 p.m.—Evening.

5:00 p.m.—Holy Baptism.

Monday, 3 p.m.—In the Parish Hall, "China Yesterday and Today"—a public lecture by The Rt. Rev'd. W. C. White, M.A., D.D., First Bishop of Honan, China.

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Well, here we are back again in the class-rooms of good old GHS. Back at the grind with only about five weeks intermission before June exams are upon us! It seems we just finish one set and we're almost in the midst of them again. What a life! These June finals will be the ones that count and anyone interested in passing should begin preparing for them soon.

Our New Yorkers have returned from the big city, tired but happy. Since your reporter was one of the lucky six, we can be sure of an eye-witness account. After spending a sleepless night, Tuesday on a Greyhound bus, we were very tired and not much was taken in on the tour Wednesday afternoon. More feet were everybody's headache and walking the ten blocks down to Times Square every night after returning from Chinatown, the Bowery, Greenwich Village and others, didn't relieve the pain!

We GHS student are included in the picture taken in the observation roof of the R.C.A. building (70 stories high, second in height to the Empire State building). This picture is so clear that the agency told Mr. Houghton it would appear in one of their travel books they print every year. The Iceland night-club on Saturday night was the highlight of the tour for one of our party.

The blonde star of the show, Grete Lind, took quite a fancy to our own Bill Sterling and, after a few winks and stylings his way, set our entire group laughing. The train ride home was peaceful and quiet with the exception of the confusion caused by the Customs Officers. After an hour and a half delay there, we arrived in the Hamilton T. H. and R. Station greeted by a large crowd of parents and friends. A reporter from C.K.O.C. radio station was there recording interviews with the students and Ruth Clark represented GHS on the programs. The recording was broadcast at 2:45 p.m. on Sunday afternoon.

These students Shirley, Joan, Ruth, Eddy, Bill and Ralph, all automatically belong to the exclusive Club New Yorker. Those students of GHS who went to New York last year bring as do all students who have taken the trip. It was a grand trip and those of you who have the chance to go next year are foolish if you miss it. Mr. Houghton is a grand person as are all the chaperones and GHS is very fortunate to be included in the group of schools chosen to enjoy the tour.

Your School Magazine executive has been working furiously since Christmas with the result that "Studemus" is going to press this week and every one will have their year book before the end of June.

Tomorrow night, Friday 29th, Grade X presents "April Splash" in the GHS auditorium. The dancing begins at 8 p.m. with the usual 25c admission price. Grade X promises new records, variety dances and lots of fun, so come one, come all and enjoy the first dance of the final school term.

W.C.T.U.

The Lincoln County W.C.T.U. Convention will be held on Tuesday, May 3rd, in Methany Chapel, King Street, St. Catharines.

Evening Session opens at 10 a.m. Noon hour — No lunch at Alexandra Hall, about one block from the Chapel.

Guest speaker of the afternoon, Miss Edna Grant, National Field Secretary of the W.C.T.U.

600 White Ribbon Tea, at the T.W.C.A., Queen St.

Evening Session at 7:45. Medal Contest in charge of Mrs. J. Cockburn and an address by Rev Fred Poulton, Toronto. There are many other interesting items on the program, among them music by Onnaugh School Choir, with presentation of prizes, pins and banners to winners in various departments of the year's work.

A goodly number of guests from Grimsby is expected. The 9.45 bus seems the best means of transport unless you have a car. All interested people welcome.

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OBITUARY**ALBERT ST. JOHN**

Albert Edward St. John, of Smithville, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roy Sheldrake, after a short illness. In his 82nd year, he was born in South Grimsby Township on October 5, 1863, a son of the late Daniel and Sarah St. John. He had farmed and lived in the district all his life, moving to Smithville never years ago to reside with his daughter. He was an adherent of the United Church. His wife, the former Annie White, predeceased him some years ago. Surviving are two daughters and one son, Mrs. Roy Sheldrake, Smithville; Mrs. R. E. Scott, Stouffville, and Harley St. John of Fulton; also four grandchildren, two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Estella Barr of Hamilton; Mr. Arthur Griffin, Hamilton, and Marcus St. John, of Grimsby.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon with interment in Queen's Lawn cemetery.

ALAN L. COLTER

Alan L. Colter, construction engineer in the Hamilton division of the Department of Highways for many years, died suddenly at his home, 140 Water Street East, Burlington, on Saturday.

Born in Cayuga, the son of the late County Judge C. W. Colter, of St. Thomas, he had been a railroad construction engineer before joining the Highways Department staff. He had resided at Grimsby for eight years before moving to Burlington in 1944, and had been in charge of construction of a section of the Queen Elizabeth Way east of Hamilton. He was a former member of Union Lodge No. 7, A.F. and A.M., Grimsby. A veteran of the First World War, he was a member of Branch 60 Canadian Legion, Burlington.

Surviving besides his wife, the former Barbara Winning, is a daughter, Ann Leale; also two brothers, Richard S. Colter, K.C., chairman of the Ontario Municipal Board, Toronto; and Ernest C. Colter, of Buffalo; and two sisters, Mrs. A. C. McBride, of Dunnville, and Mrs. R. A. Rumsey, of St. Catharines.

The late Mr. Colter was well-known in Grimsby as he resided here for some years when the Department of Highway offices were located here.

Ruth Clark, Jean Sterling and William Sterling, Jr., went on the Houghton Educational tour to New York City on Tuesday, April 19, by bus and returned by train on Sunday. All reported having a wonderful time.

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FEMININE FARMER OF THE FUTURE



Central Press Canadian Women have invaded what used to be strictly a man's realm at the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph, Ont. where 10 girls are studying practical farming. One year's actual farm experience is necessary before entering the college. However, by the time they graduate, these girls will be fully equipped to go back to their own farms and probably show their dads a thing or two. Elizabeth M. Beck of Delhi, Ont. fourth-year student is busy here pruning trees before grafting.

WHEN IN A PRINTING QUANDARY — PHONE 36

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BEEF BY THE CARCASS
Advertisement of the B. Carcass Company, which had English cured bacon for 16 cents per pound.

Sir Wilfred Laurier and Sir Charles Tupper were the big political figures.

Building lots were available on St. George St., St. Urbain St., Clark St. and Park Avenue for from \$25 to \$100 cash and the remainder monthly at payments ranging from \$3.40 to \$7. When the lot was paid for, the reader was informed, he could get money to build a house by repaying small sums of \$1 per month for every \$100 he borrowed.

Beef, by the carcass, was advertised at \$4 and \$5, and veal, by the carcass, was four to four-and-a-half cents per pound and pork, by the quarter, was six to seven cents.

What a far cry from the present day, which is probably exemplified by the young man who asked his minister, "Can I live a good Christian life in Montreal on only \$25 per week?"

To which the preacher replied: "My boy, on \$25 a week in Montreal you can't live any other kind of life."

COUNTY COUNCIL
sion during the sessions of the Finance Committee, under the chairmanship of Reeve Leonard Hoare of Merritton. It was finally decided to defer the payment of the grants to the V.O.N. and request representatives of the County Branch to meet the council at the next session to discuss the question of it providing service to Merritton.

The council, during Finance Committee session, also decided to take no action regarding a request for a grant to the United Emergency Fund for Britain. The members also took no action regarding resolutions forwarded for their approval from Middlesex County opposing the cancellation of the one mill subsidy to municipalities and the County of Prince Edward in regard to increasing old age pensions from \$30 to \$40 per month. A resolution from the County of Prince Edward requesting an increase in the grant for maintenance of indigents in hospitals from \$50 to \$32 per day was endorsed by Lincoln.

During Road Committee sessions Reeve Harold Freure of Clinton, Chairman of the Committee, his members and Superintendent Frank Weir were directed to discuss the Department of Transport regarding the road diversion at Port Dalhousie and the probability of exceeding the original estimate of \$10 and cost. The Department will be requested to make an increased grant towards the cost of the work.

The council also instructed the Road Committee to consider the request of the Village of Beamsville regarding the tiling of the west side of Mountain Street.

Approval was given to a by-law incorporating Mountain St., Kerman Ave., Livingstone Ave., in Grimsby into the county road system, and of removing a portion of the Merritton Road in Grantham Township from the system. It was also decided by by-law to stop up a portion of the Credit Road in Niagara Township and to authorize the sale of the lands. A third by-law passed by council renewed the agreement between the county and the City of St. Catharines in regard to the St. Catharines-Lincoln County Health Unit.

The council also gave unanimous approval to a by-law appointing William C. Nickerson for a further five-year term on the St. Catharines Suburban Road Commission.

At the close of the session, acting on the recommendation of the General Administration Committee headed by Reeve Ivan D. Buchanan of Grantham Township, the council approved the installation of a washroom for the offices of His Honor Judge T. J. Darby. The Council also approved the report of the Industrial Home Board of Management presented by Reeve W. L. Patterson of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

OLD MARLATT CEMETERY
Adair, who died in 1812 is crumpling away. The inscription is almost lost.

Adam Konklin, died 1845, aged 75, is commemorated along with his wife, Catherine, who was 68 when she died in 1846. Clarinda, wife of Moses Gilmore, born 1791, died 184, bore a name which was popular in the romantic literature of the Hanoverian period.

Who was Frederick Eveland, who died in 1841, aged 88 years? Alexander Patterson, who died in 1877, aged 27, lies within a raised enclosure, along with members of his family. The graves of Pattersons are marked by a plain monument which is inscribed, "Death is swallowed up in victory." Young Walter Patterson, who died in Toronto in 1919, aged 21 years, lies with them. How came he in Muddy York?

Mary C. Comfort, wife of George Haney, born 1824, died 1890. The Haney's were a Quaker family.

tageous to have in Canada or more large centres where larger number of cancers in children could be treated. In this manner our experience and knowledge in this particular field would be quickly expanded and a higher proportion of percent cures could be expected," Dr. Donohue concluded.

To carry on the work of the work to seek a cure for cancer in children every person in our community is urged to send a contribution to the local campaign.

A NEW METHOD OF FRUIT TREE GRAFTING

For one reason or another the fruit-grower, at times, finds it desirable to eliminate old trees or unwanted varieties from orchard or garden. In replacing an old tree with a young one, many years are required to bring the new tree into profitable bearing and it is a costly operation. Where the tree of the unwanted variety is vigorous and healthy it is more economical to graft using scions of the desired variety.

Framework grafting was first undertaken at the Experimental Station, Sarnia, R.C., in March 1930, says E. E. Hall. By this method the framework of the tree is retained but all lateral shoots and spurs are removed. On these bare scaffolding branches long scions with 7 to 9 buds are inserted at suitable intervals into the bark.

In the spring of 1942 eight mature Boscawen pear trees were grafted over with Bartlett scions by the framework method and eight similar trees were grafted using the usual method of top-working in which the greater portion of the scaffolding branches are removed. Yield from the 8 framework trees in 1943 was 1128 pounds of marketable fruit against 80 pounds from the 8 top-worked trees. In the six fruiting seasons since grafting was carried out, the framework trees have given a total yield of 8,804 pounds against 4,184 pounds from the top-worked trees. In the case of pears, framework returns a tree to bearing with the loss of only one year. Results with grafting apple trees show that the scion wood is one year slower in fruiting than with pears. In framework a tree, more scions are set and more labour involved than in top-working, but the quick return of the tree to normal cropping more than offsets the additional time required.

A detailed account of the technique employed in framework fruit trees is to be found in a pamphlet put out by the Experimental Station, Sarnia, R.C., a copy of which is available upon application to the Superintendent.

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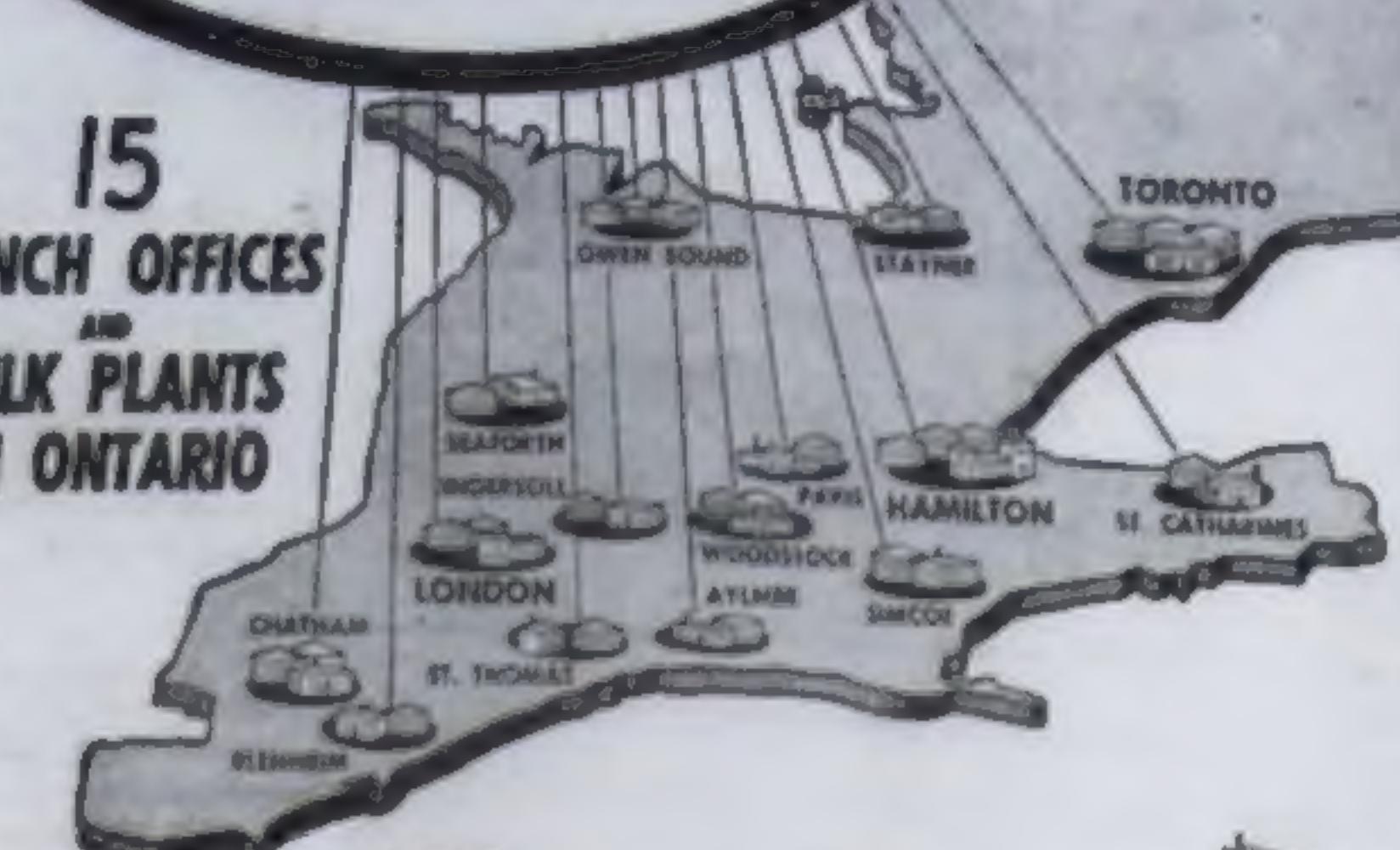
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TENNIS MEETING

The tennis season is about to get under way again, and already Mel Johnson is giving the grounds crew the go-ahead signal to get the courts in shape.

We all appreciate deeply the interest shown in our club by Mel last year, and it was very gratifying to see the membership soar to well past 70.

We hope to have as many, if not more, members this year, and we also hope to mix in a few tournaments, also. Our friend Mel has offered us the use of one of the vacant rooms above his store for our first meeting of this year, so will all members and future members do their best to attend.

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SPORTOLOGY
(By Bones Livingston, Sportologist)**PUTTING THE HEX ON OUR REX**

(By JIM COLEMAN, in The Globe and Mail)

NEWARK, N.J., April 21—It's extremely peculiar that Rexford (The Lung) Stimers, who can't find his way across the street in his home town of St. Catharines, is a self-confessed expert on the geography of New York City, a metropolis of 10,000,000 persons. On at least three occasions in the past year, Mr. Stimers, who is one of Canada's most celebrated radio announcers, has become hopelessly lost upon leaving St. Catharines' Leonard Hotel and attempting to find the Welland House, which is situated only a few short blocks away.

Under the circumstances, the large delegation of Toronto scribes who travelled to New York to report the opening ball game between Newark Bears and Toronto Maple Leafs were alarmed to discover that Mr. Stimers had appointed himself to be their guide in the big city.

"I know this place like the back of my hand," loudly proclaimed Mr. Stimers this morning in the lobby of the McAlpin Hotel as he marshalled his unwilling followers for the trip into the wilds of darkest New Jersey.

"Which hand?" whispered some cynic, but he was silenced immediately by the hurt look which crossed Stimers' cheery pink countenance.

"This way," bellowed Stimers, waving his hand and scurrying through the McAlpin lobby, "we'll go by train from Pennsylvania station."

Carrying their typewriters, the scribes scrambled after Stimers, risking their lives and limbs in some very heavy Broadway traffic. It wasn't until after he had led them through three-red traffic lights that they realized that The Lung is hopelessly color-blind.

"This way," Stimers yelled again, as he plunged into a large building and down a flight of steps.

He stopped short, looked about him in some surprise and cackled cheerfully. "Gee—I could have sworn that this was the Pennsylvania station but, obviously, it's the basement of Gimbel's Department Store. That's those Gimels for you—always building a new store when your back is turned."

Undeterred by this little slip, Mr. Stimers led the way back to the street level, pulled his hat firmly over his ears, waved his arms and ordered "Follow me."

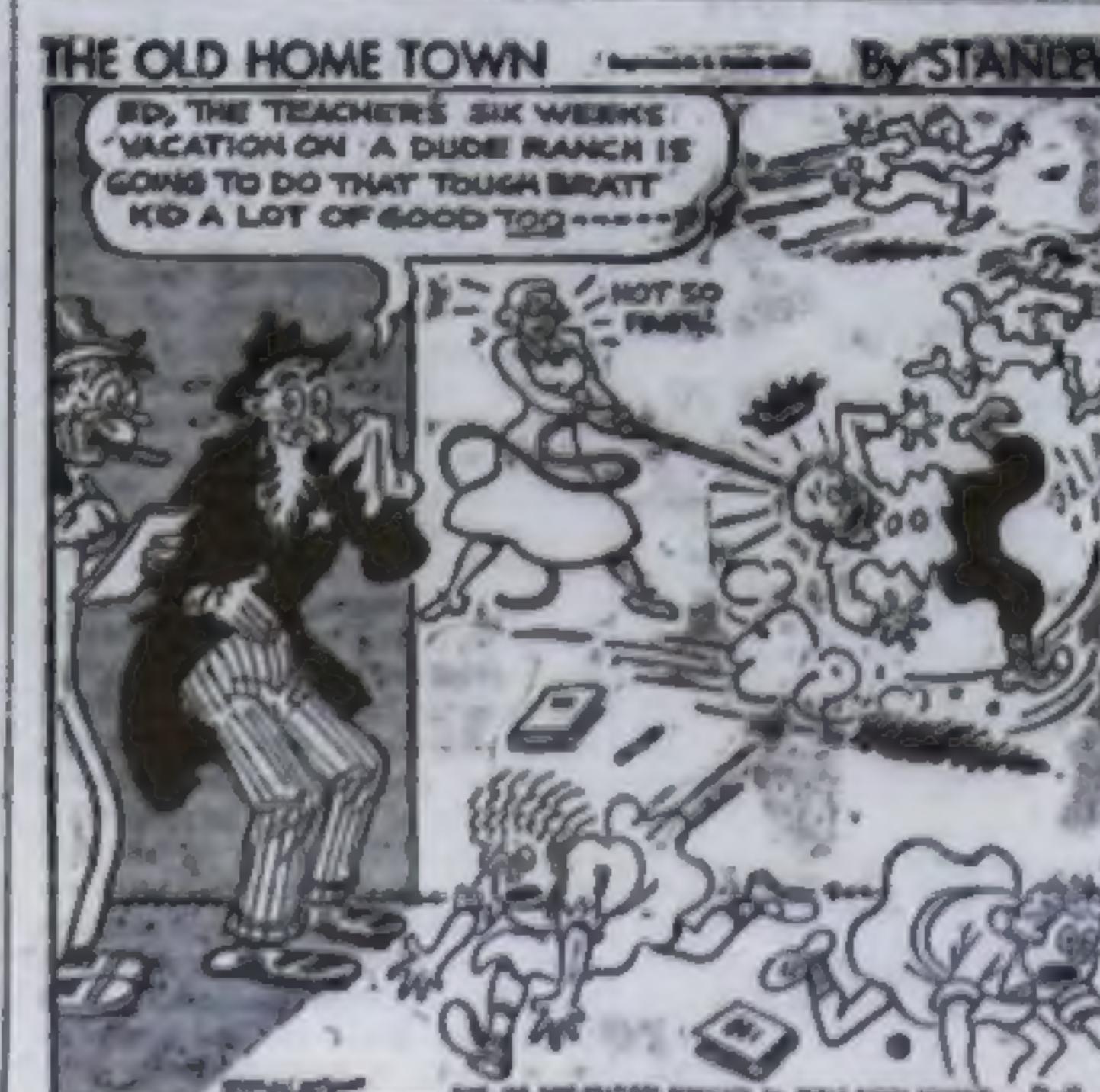
He didn't stop until he had led his bewildered followers to the pie and pastry section of an automat.

At this juncture, despite his pleadings that "I know New York like the back of my hand," the scribes left him to his own devices and hopped two taxis to take them to the Pennsylvania station.

As they sped away, Stimers was rushing down the street, hollering defiantly: "Follow me."

When last seen, he was heading down another flight of stairs. On a sign above the stairway entrance was engraved the single word, "Men."

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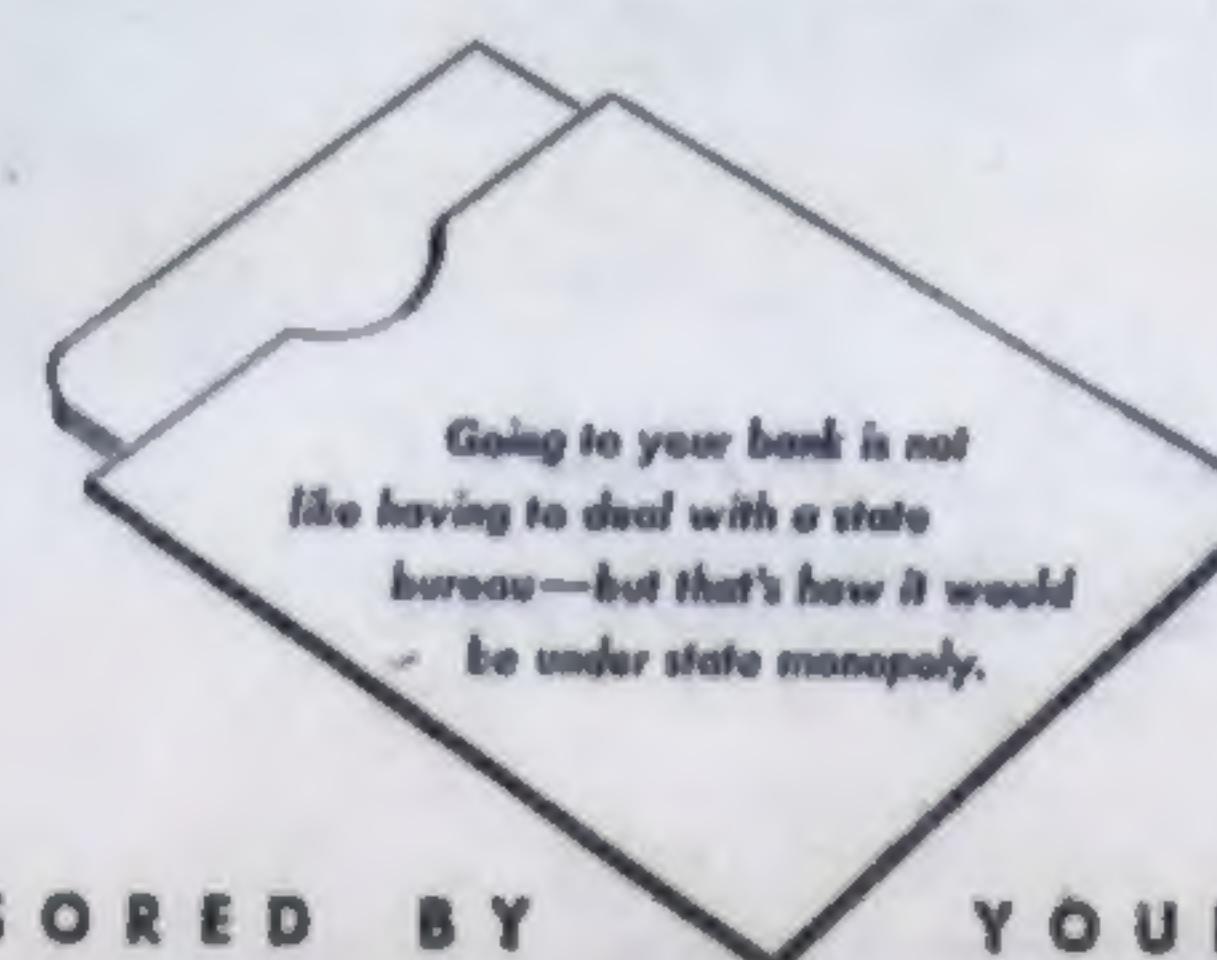


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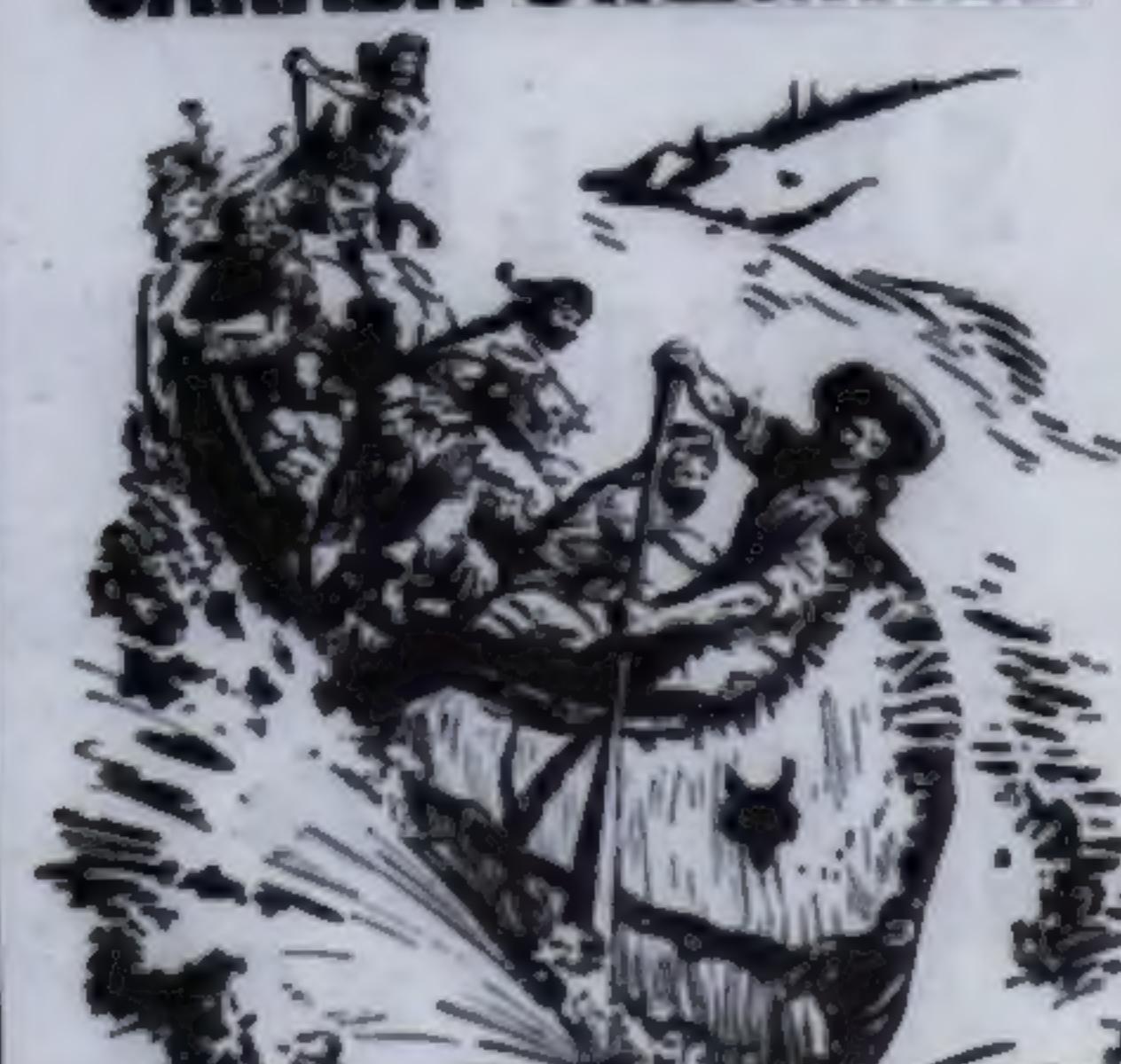
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By "HIGH" McGREGOR

The Lions of Grimsby are still investigating the possibility of erecting a lighting system at the Public School ball park, with the cost of installation being estimated at between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

There is little doubt but what all lights would be needed shot in the arm to bring softball back to pre-war standards. In view of the fact that the Lions have already placed a fine grandstand on the site, it seems that all lights would indeed be a perfect follow-up.

At present the matter is being seriously considered, and perhaps it will not be too long before some definite announcement can be made.

The Annual Meeting of the Peach King Hockey Club was held on Tuesday night, at which treasurer Reg Henderson gave out with the financial report. By the looks of things each player will net in the neighborhood of one hundred bucks.

Startling as it may seem, the Club was practically broke at the end of the group schedule, and only the semi-finals with Brantford and Niagara Falls saved the day.

The idea of fostering Senior "B" hockey in Grimsby was ridiculed at first by many skeptics. It just could not be done, was the attitude of many. The fact that the Kings are Group Champions and Ontario semi-finalists deepens this train of thought.

Only the rather small attendance throughout the season is the sixty-dollar nut the executive is trying to figure out. Speaking of the executive, they will remain the same for the coming year. The Peach Kings will again be a Senior "B" Club, and if an early start means anything... they will be a good team.

The resignation as coach was re-

ceived from Jack McVicar, but the guy who has brought championships to Grimsby will still be around next winter. McVicar will be in charge of player personnel, in other words, he will be the guy who picks the team, and there certainly is no one better qualified for the job. A new coach will be appointed in the near future.

President Harold Harris stated that it was useless to even consider forming a 1949-50 team until the executive could supply McVicar and manager Herb Jarvis with at least three thousand dollars with which to go out and obtain players.

Commencing immediately, the publicly department of the Peach King Club is starting a campaign that should give the officials the lettuce they need. A 1949 Ford car will be given away to somebody with tickets going on sale next week. Tickets will sell for two-bits, and this is certainly one manner in which everyone can easily assure Grimsby of having a better than ever Senior hockey team when next November rolls around. Amateur sport! It's wonderful!

Bodied over—Peach Kings and their queens will be entertained at a dinner party at the Village Inn next Thursday night. Cheques, crests and other awards will be handed out... This will be the first year in history that the Peach King executive went to work in the spring, in order to line up a team for the season coming up... Don't be surprised if Hamilton enters a Senior "B" team next winter. Contrary to Brantford reports, Woodstock will be in Senior competition... it seems as how they have to be Mister Rose... Thompson Products came to the rescue again in St. Kitts, George Stauffer supplying the necessary folding stuff for the Senior Ball Club. This should make Reidermuss happy.

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NORTH ATLANTIC PACT

ment, both the party in power and his majesty's loyal opposition, together led by Mr. St. Laurent have united as one man and have joined with the other governments of the Western world to form a solid bulwark which an aggressor would fear to attack. Speaking personally, I am proud of Canada's part in the initiation of this pact.

Let us look for a moment at the salient features of this agreement—"the parties undertake, as set forth in the charter of the United Nations, to settle any international disputes in which they may be involved, by peaceful means and in such a manner that international peace, security and justice are not endangered." And most important of all, "the parties agree that an armed attack against one or more of them in Europe or North America shall be considered an attack against them all and as a result all parties will join together against the aggressor." It was this very clause, article ten of the covenant, that kept the U.S.A. out of the League of Nations. We have come a long way since then.

Over against the countries in the pact stand Russia and her satellites who are bitterly opposed to it. They consider it aimed solely at them. And as far as I am concerned it is aimed at them. And if it scares Russia enough to keep her on her own side of the fence that suits me fine. However, it is obvious that the world is once again reverting back to that ancient protective device, the balance of power. The western allies are spending twenty billion dollars annually on armaments, the soviet bloc more than ten billion—so we see that the greatest armament race in history is now in progress.

Russia's mainstay is her powerful land forces while she will also have a very formidable air force which may cut down allied shipping considerably. But we must not forget the air and sea superiority of the Western Nations which will help us considerably if a conflict occurs. I say superiority, even though I am aware that we're in the dark as to just what Russia has in the way of air power. We do know in cold figures that the western allies have 4,500,000 armed men against the red armies' 4,500,000. While this would seem to be an even set-up, one of the weak points in my opinion of the Atlantic Pact is that the various par-

ties are spread out over the face of the globe, oceans separating them which means that the precious time needed to mobilize a strong united effort may delay the western cause considerably and many heavy losses may result. On the other hand the Red sector is packed into one solid block in central Europe between the Baltic and Black seas, and extends overland to the Pacific via China. We can't afford to take a year to get rolling in an age of atomic weapons and supersonic speeds.

You may say where does the United Nations Organization come into all this. Even though the signers of the pact say their organization strengthens not weakens that body and although these nations still adhere to the principle of its charter, it is not difficult to realize, I think, that the U.N.O. has been shelved in favour of the Atlantic Pact and its war-causing balance of power principle. I say war-causing because armed nations in the past have always found an excuse to use their arms. I am afraid that they will do again. I hope that I am wrong. Anyways there is no need to borrow trouble. All that remains now is to put the statements embodied in the treaty into actual practice. However, I am sure that they are in your minds too. For example:

Will the nations live up to this pact or will the whole world suffer another Munich when actual danger threatens? Will Russia keep her communist ideals behind the iron curtain because of this treaty or will she flaunt her hammer and sickle for the same ends as Hitler dangled his swastika under the noses of the world's diplomats? Will Russia use the Atlantic Pact as an excuse to withdraw from the U.N. and then move towards armed retaliation? Will all our money, yours and mine, be spent on taxes in piling up huge stores of armaments instead of improving the lot of mankind? Am I along with all the fellows and girls my own age everywhere, to live in constant fear of an atomic world war? Only the future holds the answer to these questions. Certainly through this pact the world is being served a very potent warning that the western nations at least, want peace and mean to have it. Whether this new argument is the right way to secure peace, or not, time will decide.

My earnest hope is that we will be able to live in harmony with the other nations of the world and that future generations will hail the Atlantic Pact as the greatest pillar of freedom known to date. My whole future and the future of millions like me depends on what happens in the next few months. I hope that we have found the solution to the problem that has baffled mankind since the dawn of history and that the answer for us, pray God, will be peace.

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Lions Club

A Director's Meeting of the Lions Club, held on Tuesday night, the many items of business were presented for discussion. Included was the next major campaign the Lions are heading, the mass X-Ray survey. Plans were completed for the canvas of the Town and the Township, and final dates and times were established for the Unit during its stay here the second week in May.

The Lions also selected Miss Gloria Jarvis to represent them in the semi-finals of the Optimist Club's Blossom Queen Contest. Miss Jarvis will stand against six other Grimsby girls for the title of Miss Grimsby, with the winner then going into the final for the title of Blossom Queen.

Work on the Lions park is progressing favorably, and a local firm has been instructed to begin hauling stones and dirt fill. The bank of the Creek running through the picturesque park will also be banked up to protect the work to be done by the Lions.

No date has been suggested for the opening of the park, but plans do call for tables and benches to be placed there for the public's use.

BREVITIES

EVENTS and TOPICS
of the WEEK in
TABLOID . . .

Dymond One Cent Sale this week.

Lions Club meets next Tuesday evening.

Board of Education meets next Wednesday night.

Beamsville Fair will definitely be of three days duration this year.

Do you like the kind of cookies that mother used to make? Then don't forget to give the Girl Guides an order for those delicious tidbits.

That permanent drunk Red Mike Koziarczak will not bother Main Street pedestrians for a few days. Thanks to Chief James, Mike is serving 15 days in the county jail.

Conservative convention to select a candidate to succeed "Mac" Lockhart in the federal riding of Lincoln, will be held in the Community Hall, Beamsville, on the night of Friday, May 26th.

Lincoln County Liberals will hold their convention in the Community Hall, Beamsville, on Tuesday night next, May 3rd, to select a candidate to contest the forthcoming federal election. Hon. Stuart E. Garrison, K.C., Minister of Justice, will be the speaker. Every body welcome.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Management of the Victorian Order of Nurses Lincoln County Branch, held April 21, the following officers were elected for 1948-50:

Hon. President: Dr. D. V. Currey, St. Catharines and Lincoln Health Unit; the Warden of Lincoln County, Leslie Lymburner; Dr. C. R. Wray.

President: H. L. Craze, Louth. 1st Vice: W. C. Nickerson, Grantham. 2nd Vice: Mrs. C. E. Rickers, Port Dalhousie. Treasurer: C. I. McKellar, Beamsville. Secretary: Geo. H. Dickson, Clinton. Convenor Publicity Committee: Mrs. E. Culp, Louth. Convenor Supply Committee: Mrs. W. C. Lymburner, St. Grimsby. Finance Committee: C. I. McKellar, Beamsville, Chairman; Dr. C. R. Wray, Beamsville, and R. Bettis, North Grimsby.

ARE YOU LISTENING,
MR. PETTIGREW

(Dundalk Herald)

At Geo. Wilson's sale near Durham on Tuesday, April 12, Gen. E. Duncan, local auctioneer, added a unique mark in his 25 years' experience of selling. A total of 260 articles were sold by father and son, George and Alex Duncan, the latter wielding the hammer for 40 of them. With 530 articles disposed of in five hours it figures up at 1% sales for every minute. Lou Thibault of Markdale, who acted as clerk, was a busy man with the pencil.

George told The Herald he must be slowing up, as at Mrs. D. Hill's sale some ten years ago he auctioned off almost 100 articles in 4½ hours. Nine years ago at the Chas. Monford sale, west of Dundalk, he sold 615 articles in 4½ hours, including the auctioning off of the farm, which figures out at 2½ sales per minute. Herb Corlett was the main clerk for this sale and always appeared ready for another.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, who disposed of their farm at Durham and cleared their home and barn of everything, are moving to British Columbia. Mrs. Wilson is the former Pearl Scott of Victoria Corners.

ITALIAN FRUIT

Italian exports of fruits and vegetables during 1948 exceeded 1.76 billion pounds, the average export volume in 1934 and 1935, and included deciduous, citrus and dried fruits. Of particular interest was the rise in potato exports from only about 21 thousand bushels in 1947 to 3.67 million bushels in 1948.

This expansion could not have been possible without the reopening of the German market, for which some ERP funds were made available to purchase Italian produce.

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